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Case Docket No. 36856.1161
Date: November 3, 2003

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor(s): **Hideki MUTO, Koji TANAKA, Koji FURUTANI, Takahiro WATANABE, Takanori UEJIMA, and Norio NAKAJIMA**
For: **HIGH FREQUENCY SWITCHING COMPONENT**

This is a ☒ CONTINUING ☐ DIVISIONAL ☐ CONTINUATION-IN-PART of prior application Serial No. 09/603,252 Filed June 26, 2000

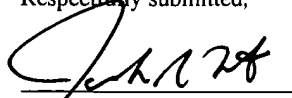
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- 4 Sheet(s) of drawing ☒ formal ☐ informal
- ☒ Copy of Declaration and Power of Attorney from prior application 09/603,252 (for continuing and divisionals).
- ☒ An assignment to Murata Manufacturing Co., Ltd. of 26-10 Tenjin 2-chome, Nagaokakyo-shi, Kyoto-fu 617-8555, JAPAN was filed and recorded in the prior application on June 26, 2000, Reel 010899, Frame 0868.
- ☒ A certified copy of Japanese Patent Application Nos. 11-215012 filed July 29, 1999 and 11-215013 filed July 29, 1999 from which priority is claimed in the subject case pursuant to Rule 55b and 35 U.S.C. 119. were filed in prior application No. 09/603,252.
- ☒ Copy of Revocation of Power of Attorney, Power of Attorney and Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) filed in prior application 09/603,252
- ☒ Change of Correspondence Address
- ☒ Incorporation by Reference - The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied as indicated above, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
- ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) - Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) in the prior application.
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO 1449.
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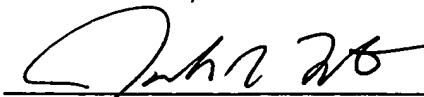
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Attorney from prior application 09/603,252; a Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038)
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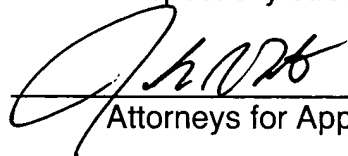
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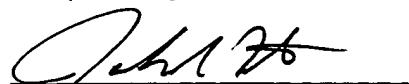
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